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1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the 2 following:

- 3 "Sec. 1. 2002 c 10 s 2 (uncodified) is amended to read as follows:
- 4 (1) There is created the Washington state task force against the trafficking of persons.
 - (2) The task force shall consist of the following members:
- 7 (a) The director of the office of community development, or the 8 director's designee;
- 9 (b) The secretary of the department of health, or the secretary's 10 designee;
- 11 (c) The secretary of the department of social and health services, 12 or the secretary's designee;
- 13 (d) The director of the department of labor and industries, or the director's designee;
- 15 (e) The commissioner of the employment security department, or the commissioner's designee;
 - (f) Nine members, selected by the director of the office of community development, that represent public and private sector organizations that provide assistance to persons who are victims of trafficking.
- 21 (3) The task force shall be chaired by the director of the office 22 of community development, or the director's designee.
 - (4) The task force shall carry out the following activities:
- 24 (a) Measure and evaluate the progress of the state in trafficking 25 prevention activities;
- 26 (b) Identify available federal, state, and local programs that 27 provide services to victims of trafficking that include, but are not 28 limited to health care, human services, housing, education, legal 29 assistance, job training or preparation, interpreting services, English 30 as a second language classes, and victim's compensation; and

- 1 (c) Make recommendations on methods to provide a coordinated system 2 of support and assistance to persons who are victims of trafficking.
- 3 (5) The task force shall report its <u>supplemental</u> findings and 4 recommendations to the governor and legislature by ((November 30, 5 2002)) <u>June 30, 2004</u>.
- 6 (6) The office of community development shall provide necessary
 7 administrative and clerical support to the task force, within available
 8 resources.
- 9 (7) The members of the task force shall serve without compensation, 10 but shall be reimbursed for travel expenses as provided in RCW 11 43.03.050 and 43.03.060, within available resources.
- 12 (8) The task force expires ((March 1, 2003)) June 30, 2004.
- NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. Section 1 of this act is added to chapter 7.68 RCW.
- NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect immediately."

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On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "persons;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "amending 2002 c 10 s 2 (uncodified); adding a new section to chapter 7.68 RCW; and declaring an emergency."

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